

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Norihiro YAMAGUCHI et al.**

Art Unit: **1797**

Application Number: **10/594,587**

Examiner: **Elizabeth L. McKane**

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INDICATOR**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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August 4, 2009

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 4, 2009, the response date of which having been extended by two months to August 4, 2009, Applicants amend the claims as follows and submit the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.